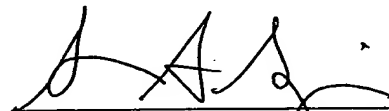


**REMARKS**

The present application was allowed on February 23, 2005. Before paying the issue fee, the Applicants are correcting an informality that appears in the specification. In particular, by this Amendment, the Applicants are moving the "Brief Description of the Drawing" section. The section has been moved to follow the "Summary of the Invention." (Previously, the section was at the end of the application.) No new matter has been added.

If the examiner has any questions, he is respectfully invited to contact Applicants' attorney at the telephone number set forth below.

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